



AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP 1754
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q59895

Akinori SUDO, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/634,461

Group Art Unit: 1754

Confirmation No.: 2864

Examiner: Stuart L. HENDRICKSON

Filed: August 7, 2000

For: GRAPHITE CARBON POWDER, AND METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
PRODUCING THE SAME

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the outstanding final Office Action dated November 8, 2002, thus
providing for timely filing by Monday, February 10, 2003, please amend the above-identified
application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 11 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please enter the following amended claims:

1. (Twice Amended) A method for producing graphite carbon powder, comprising
filling a container made of carbon having electrical resistance and electrical conductivity with
carbon powder which has been prepared from carbon material through crushing in advance, and

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